GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Co-operation Department –Horticulture – NMOOP- MM-II (Oil Palm) 2017-18 – Fixation of Formula for the Pricing of Oil Palm Fresh Fruit Bunches for the Period from 1st November 2017 to 31st October 2018 – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (HORTI.) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 41 Dated: 16-04-2018

Read the following :-

1) G O Rt.No.10 Agril & COOP (Horti &Seri., dt:05-01-2015
2) Minutes of the Meeting held on 21.03.2018 of Committee members under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Horticulture, Sericulture and Agri Business, Govt. of A.P.
3) From the Commissioner of Horticulture, AP, Guntur Lr.No. NMOOP/26/2017, dt.09.04.2018.

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ORDER :

As per the Andhra Pradesh Oil Palm (Regulation of Production and Processing) Act, 1993 section 13(1) of the Act, the Government is empowered to fix the price of Oil Palm Fresh Fruit Bunches (FFBs) or may authorize the Oil Palm Commissioner to do so, subject to guidelines from time to time.

2. The Commissioner of Horticulture in his letter 3rd read above has stated that a meeting was held on 21.03.2018 with the Oil Palm Developers and Processors Association, AP State Oil palm Farmers welfare Association and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, AP Oil fed under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture & Horticulture, Sericulture and Agri Business, AP at AP Secretariat, Amaravathi for finalization of Price fixing formula for Oil Palm Fresh Fruit Bunches (FFB) to be adopted during the current Oil year i.e., from November 2017 to October 2018.

3. After detailed discussions with the processors and farmers, it is agreed to adopt the OER% achieved by AP Oilfed unit, Pedavegi. The OER% obtained by AP Oiled for the Oil year 2016-17 is 16.40 which is equal to 12.341% (as per GOI guidelines) and Kernel% is 5.137 (9.76%). As per the existing procedures as the A.P.Oilfed OER% and Kernel% of 2016-17 Oil year have to be adopted for finalization of Oil palm FFB Price fixation formula for the Oil year 2017-18 i.e., from November 2017 to October 2018.

4. After taking into consideration of all facts, circumstances and after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby fix the following Formula for the pricing of Oil Palm Fresh Fruit Bunches with effect from November, 2017 to October, 2018 (Oil year) under Section 13(1) of the AP Oil Palm (Regulation of Production and Processing) Act, 1993 :

> "12.341 percent of net Crude Palm Oil (CPO) weighted average price realized by the A.P.OILFED, Pedavegi Unit (Based on the actual OER of 16.40 % recovered for the Oil Year 2016-17 by the OILFED Pedavegi Unit) Plus 75.25 percent on 9.76% recovery of Palm Nuts weighted average price realized by A.P.OILFED"

5. The Commissioner of Horticulture, AP, Gunutr shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHIRANJIV CHOUDHARY,
EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (H&S)

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The A.P. State Oilpalm Farmers Welfare Association through Commissioner of Horticulture, AP, Guntur.
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The P.S. to M (Agri.)
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